

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:	Devron Averett	Examiner:	J. Young
Appl No.:	10/021,772	Group Art Unit:	1623
Filed:	October 30, 2001	Docket:	70002.0002US11
Title:	PURINE-L-NUCLEOSIDES, ANALOGS AND USES THEREOF		

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Mail Stop Non-Final Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to respond to the non-final Office Action mailed May 5, 2003, said period of response being extended to November 5, 2003.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 13-2725 in the amount of \$475.00 to cover the required extension fee for a small entity. A duplicate copy of the transmittal sheet is attached for this purpose.

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